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SUBJECT: NARCOTICS NEPALESE IV PROGRAM

REF: KATHMANDU 2347

1. DEPARTMENT IS PLEASED TO INFORM YOU THAT 30-DAY INTERNATIONAL VISITOR GRANT IS APPROVED FOR MR. UPADHYAYA. S/NM WILL REIMBURSE CU FOR COST OF GRANT AS ITEMIZED IN PARA 2 BELOW. REQUEST POST CABLE SOONEST FULL BIODATA WITH INFORMATION ON DEGREE OF COMMAND OF ENGLISH, CURRENT POSITION TITLE, ANY PREVIOUS POSITIONS HE HAS HELD BESIDES THAT OF DEPUTY PERMANENT REPRESENTATIVE TO U.N., HIS AGE, AND HIS U.S. CONTACTS.

2. DEPARTMENT EXPERIENCE HAS BEEN THAT 30-DAY GRANT IS LIMITED OFFICIAL USE

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PREFERABLE TO 60-DAY ONE, BUT MIGHT CONSIDER 30-DAY EXTENSION AFTER CONSULTATION WITH UPADHYAYA AFTER HE ARRIVES. BENEFITS WOULD BE NORMAL IV COSTS: DOLLARS 700 DOMESTIC TRANSPORTATION, DOLLARS 45 PER DIEM FOR 30 DAYS, DOLLARS 35 INTERNATIONAL TRAVEL ALLOWANCE EACH WAY FOR TRAVEL EN ROUTE AND RETURN TRIP, DOLLARS 50 EDUCATIONAL ALLOWANCE, ROUNDTrip INTERNATIONAL ECONOMY JET TRANSPORTATION, AND

ELEVEN KILOS EXCESS BAGGAGE FOR RETURN TRIP. TOTAL 30-DAY GRANT WOULD COST DOLLARS 4,054, AND 60-DAY GRANT, IF

APPROVED WOULD COST DOLLARS 5,404

3. DEPARTMENT FEELS THAT USEFUL PROGRAM CAN BE ESPECIALLY TAILORED TO UPADHYAYA'S NEEDS, DESIGNED TO HELP HIM TO MINIMIZE DIFFICULTIES MENTIONED YOUR REFTEL, WHILE MAXIMIZING HIS EFFECTIVENESS IN MEETING HIS OBJECTIVES. HIS ITINERARY COULD BE DESIGNED TO DEAL WITH AMERICAN EFFORTS IN FUND-RAISING, COMMUNITY ORGANIZATION, MANAGEMENT, PUBLICITY, POLITICS, INDUSTRIAL EFFORTS IN THIS FIELD, ETC.

4. DEPARTMENT IS RESERVING JUDGMENT ON REQUEST TO FUND PUBLICATIONS. WE RECOMMEND THAT UPADHYAYA SEE WHAT LEADING AMERICAN INSTITUTIONS ARE DOING IN THIS FIELD AND DISCUSS THIS IN DETAIL WITH US. WE WOULD LIKE EMBASSY TO REVIEW HIS PROPOSED PAPER BEFORE USG AGREES TO FUND. HE WILL, OF COURSE, TAKE HOME CONSIDERABLE NUMBER OF PUBLICATIONS WHICH WOULD BE USEFUL FOR ENGLISH-SPEAKING NEPALESE.

5. OFFICIAL-INFORMAL ADDRESSED TO DCM FROM CU DRUG COORDINATOR FOLLOWS BY POUCH. REQUEST THAT POST POSTPONE PLANS FOR UPADHYAYA'S ARRIVAL UNTIL IT RECEIVES LETTER. IN ANY CASE, CU PROGRAM AGENCIES ARE COMPLETELY BOOKED UP UNTIL OCTOBER. PLEASE CABLE SUGGESTED ARRIVAL DATE.
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6. SLUG CU/IVP/MR AND S/NM IN REPLY. VANCE

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